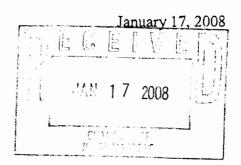
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Re: Brava Investments Development Ltd. v. HSBC Bank USA, N.A.; 07 Civ. 3205

Dear Judge Marrero:

The undersigned represents defendant HSBC Bank USA, N.A. ("HSBC").

I write jointly with counsel for plaintiff, Paul H. Levinson, Esq. On January 4, 2008 we requested the Court adjourn the January 11, 2008 case management conference in light of the mediation which was scheduled to occur January 14, 2008.

Unfortunately, Grant McCrea, the court appointed mediator, cancelled the mediation due to scheduling issues. The parties immediately rescheduled the mediation to February 8, 2008. In light of this development, we request that the Court adjourn the case management conference to a datc after February 8, 2008.

Respectfully yours,

Meredith L. Friedman

VP - Senior Counsel

Paul H. Levinson, Esq. (via facsimile) cc:

> Request GRANTED. The) with conference herein is rescheduled to al 9:45 axu. SO ORDERED. VICTOR MARRERO, U.S.D.J.